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## EL DORADO COUNTY'S ONLY DAILY NEWSPAPER

### BEHIND The scenes in BUSINESS BY JOHN CRADDOCK

BUSINESS—With the whole national effort being concentrated on building up national defense and providing the "arsenal for democracy" pledged by President Roosevelt, the whole complexion of the business and industrial picture is more and more determined by "Washington." The President's budget message gave some idea of defense-spending pace that will prevail, influencing all other lines of business and production—stepping up most (through payrolls, employment), curbing some (because of priorities in materials, personnel, machines).

So here's the budget message boiled down on spending: During the fiscal year starting next July 1, FDR plans (or hopes) to spend \$10,811,000,000 on defense. That's at an average rate of \$900,000,000 a month, twice the present defense-spending rate. And the pace will be getting faster month by month, so that, sometime between now and June of 1942 the outlay for armaments will be running above a billion-a-month!

LOW-DOWN — Nutshell analysis of one phase of the defense materials supply situation, according to J. G. Forrest, financial editor of the New York Times, in his Sunday column: "There is ample metal aluminum to provide for the defense program as it is known to the Aluminum Company of America, based on long-term estimates made by the company in conjunction with the Defense Advisory Commission, the aircraft industry and contracts being awarded by the government to aircraft companies from month to month. Deliveries, in general, are being delayed only in the case of orders for fabricated parts, which are deviations from the original estimates or orders, where the manufacturer forgot to order certain parts, or in ordinary manufacturing difficulties such as the breaking of a die or similar incident." Citing one aircraft manufacturer's claim that he had been forced to lay off men by "shortage" of parts, the writer said the aluminum "shortage" was found to involve a single type of forging, the order for which had been inadvertently cancelled by the customer.

EIGHT-UP — Reflecting national income is a comparative table, by sections and nationally, for eight key categories in the general business picture, for the first nine months of 1940, against the same period of 1939. All eight, nationally, were on the "up" side—passenger car sales by 27 per cent; gasoline consumption by 6; household refrigerator sales by 39; sales of ordinary life insurance (a column that in several previous tables showed minus while most of the rest were plus) up by two per cent; value of checks drawn, up by 3 per cent; farm income, by 7; electric power output, 12; and heavy construction, up 10.

ABC'S — Alphabetical abbreviations are as American as hot dogs and baseball. Such compact terms as MPH, RFC, AAA, RPM, KWH, —and, of course IOU — are keys to our governmental and industrial IQ which unlock meanings PDQ. So it is not surprising that another such term should now be sought by John L. Collier, president of the B. F. Goodrich company, to express the "true performance value" of some 10,000 products of the mushrooming synthetic industry.

The spectacular growth of that industry itself reflects our national passion for grasping things quickly. Up to now, he says, many consumers have regarded synthetics as mere "substitutes," and have shied away from some on a first-cost basis, not aware that many synthetics are superior materials with superb style, color and durability. "One approach to the cost problem might be the creation of a new term, like FOB or COD, to express original cost plus value over a lifetime of use, for synthetic products," Collier told retailers who handle up to 1,500 synthetic items. This novel idea indicates a new approach to the sales problem of modern synthetics.

RE-EMPLOYMENT GAINS — Since the bound-to-be expansion of payrolls in defense industries during the first quarter of 1941 will coincide with seasonal employment gains in agriculture, Uncle Sam's total unemployment may in the next few months dip close to the 5,000,000 level. (The number of idle was estimated at 7,200,000 at the beginning of December by the National Industrial Conference)

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**FIRST RECRUIT** for Company D, 115th Combat Engineers, "El Dorado County's Own" unit in the California National Guard, was William Sayers, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Sayers, county welfare officer. "Bill," as his many friends call him, is pictured here signing up with First Lieut. Fred Schumacher, who commands the unit and who is in charge of enlistment. Lieut. Schumacher maintains recruiting offices at the War Veterans' Memorial Building.—Democrat Photo.

### 36 LISTED FOR COMPANY D Recruiting Continues Afternoons, Evenings At Veterans' Hall

Thirty-six El Dorado county men, especially qualified in the various vocations desired, have volunteered their enlistment in "El Dorado County's Own" Company D, 115th Combat Engineers, California National Guard.

Physical examination of the men who have volunteered is being started and enlistment offices are maintained afternoons and evenings at the War Veterans' Memorial Building, in Placerville.

First Lieutenant Fred Schumacher, whose appointment was announced Monday and who is in charge of organization of the unit, announced Thursday that after Sunday the afternoon enlistment period will be discontinued.

Men interested in discussing opportunities for enlistment in the organization may apply afternoons through Sunday from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock at the War Veterans' Memorial Building, or may apply evenings from 7 o'clock to 9 o'clock at the same place.

### FIVE-COUNTY VETERANS' GROUP MEETS IN PLACERVILLE

Members of Sierra Nevada Post No. 2860, V. F. W., and their auxiliary were hosts Sunday to a meeting of the Golden Poppy County Council of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, at a meeting at the War Veterans' Memorial building. The council embraces V. of F. W. posts in Yolo, Sacramento, Nevada, Placer and El Dorado Counties.

In the regular business meeting, William Mitchell, of Grass Valley, was elected commander and Sierra Nevada Post was honored by the election of its commander, Gordon West, of Georgetown, to be junior vice commander of the five-county unit.

The meeting included a dinner for the delegates and guests, prepared by the auxiliary to Sierra Nevada Post.

### MISS MABEL MCKENZIE, BRIDE-ELECT, GUEST AT SHOWER

Miss Mabel McKenzie, whose marriage to Charles Grady, of San Francisco will take place next month, was guest of honor at a surprise shower Friday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Lester McKenzie.

The evening was spent at playing cards after which many beautiful gifts were opened and refreshments were served.

Those who were invited included the Misses Louise Miller, Herberta Thomsen, and Mabel Cook, and the Mesdames Eric Johnson, Russell Anderson, Ed. Willis, Chris Orelli, Bernt Chappell, Dr. William Schneider, Howard McKenzie, Gerald Rasmussen, Albert Hanley, Steve Erm, Bud Clark, Woodward Fox, Orval Reineck, Seth Beach, Pat Harrison, Alex Revaz, Paul Salvater, Howard Lewis, Bron Smith and W. T. Henderson.

### ETHIOPIANS IN REVOLT, CLAIM Hungary Announces Ban On Rail Traffic; Britain Blasts Wilhelmshaven

LONDON, (UP)—The admiralty today said that the cruiser Southampton was a total loss as a result of the attack by German dive-bombers in the Mediterranean.

During the attack by the German planes off Sicily, the admiralty said, fire broke out aboard the 9100-ton cruiser and "attained such proportions that it became necessary to abandon ship."

**Ethiopians Revolt**  
LONDON, (UP)—British advisers to Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia said today that he had reported from his general headquarters at Khartoum in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan that 90 per cent of his tribesmen were ready to revolt against Italian rule. London newspapers reported that revolt already was in full swing in Ethiopia.

**Rail Traffic Halted**  
BUDAPEST, Hungary, (UP)—The Hungarian state railroads announced today that passenger traffic on all Hungarian railroad lines would be stopped at 3 a. m. tomorrow probably for three days, except as regards international trains, motor trains, motor buses and local work trains. Unfavorable weather conditions were given as the reason for the suspension.

**By UNITED PRESS**  
The Royal Air Force today gave Germany a blitzkrieg demonstration on Reich soil by delivering one of the war's great air attacks upon the massive North German base of Wilhelmshaven.

British air power demonstrated its constantly increasing offensive by attacking the new German dive-bomber base at Catania, Sicily, in addition to making secondary raids on Emden, Bremerhaven, Rotterdam, Flushing, the submarine base at Brest and German airports along the invasion coast.

The report of the German high command appeared to corroborate British accounts of the Wilhelmshaven raid. Berlin said that 20 persons were killed and 35 wounded. The German accounts admitted that fires were started which were not extinguished until 10 or 12 hours after the RAF planes ceased to drone over the naval base.

### MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED AT EAGLE AUXILIARY MEETING MONDAY

The Ladies Auxiliary of Placerville Aerie No. 889, F. O. E., met Monday night with Vice-President LaVerne Rhorer presiding in the absence of Mrs. Merryman, president.

During the meeting it was announced that one of the members, Mrs. Gladys Truscott, had been recently married to Fred Wells, of the meat department at the Safeway store.

The January 27th meeting will have Mrs. Mabel Johnson as chairman of refreshments assisted by Mrs. Violet Potts and Mrs. Lilly Goldman. Mrs. Norma Humphrey is chairman for entertainment.

The card party January 24 will have Mrs. Lilly Revaz as chairman with Mrs. Martha Fields, and Mrs. Rhorer assisting. The committee reported Mrs. Lulu Stanley and Mrs. Merryman ill.

### SECOND DRAFT SELECTEES NAMED

Men Report Wednesday  
Of Next Week To Leave  
For Induction Center

The Selective Service Board for El Dorado County on Thursday morning announced the names of twenty men who are being called to report Wednesday morning, January 22, to the draft board headquarters to leave at nine o'clock in the morning for the induction center at Sacramento.

Upon passing physical examinations, the men will be assigned by the Army to various units for one year of field training.

Although El Dorado County's quota in the draft is fourteen, the Selective Service Board office stated that several of the men named are out of state, and that for this reason the county's quota is raised to twenty to replace these men.

The twenty called are: Robert E. Lee, James Hansen, Carroll P. Phelps, Erling Lund, Eugene N. Alexson, Wilfred A. Meyers, Clarence W. Card, Clifton A. Robinson, Kenneth C. Heffren, Richard D. Stratton, Al Dorsey, William R. Seymour, Dale B. Fox, John McKown, Steve B. Barko, P. S. Ross, Gaylord R. Blevins, Earl E. Peterson, Theodore W. Yates and John E. Fixmer.

An alternate list also was announced. The men named in the alternate list will, it was announced, be notified by the selective service board in the event they are required for the replacement of men named in the principal list.

The alternate list includes: Blair (Continued on Page 4)

### DeMolay, Rainbow To Seat Heads

Joint Open Installation  
To Be Held Saturday Night  
At I. O. O. F. Hall Building

Officers of El Dorado Chapter, Order of DeMolay, and Placerville Assembly, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, will be installed for the new term at a joint open meeting of the two orders on Saturday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. The meeting is called to start at eight o'clock.

The officers of El Dorado Chapter will be installed under the direction of Kenneth Heffren, Divisional Master Councilor and a past master councilor of the chapter.

Rainbow officers will be seated under the direction of Velma Lundsen, with Lucille Crowell as drill leader, assisted by Betty Lou Evans. Maxine Miller will be installing chaplain and Mildred Morris installing recorder.

The officers elect of Placerville Assembly include: Edna Mae Smith, worthy advisor; Elinor Chalde, associate advisor; Colleen Chalde, Charity; Edith Young, Hope; Eddis Howe, Faith; Janice Benson, drill leader; Barbara Hook, chaplain; Mildred Strickland, Love; La Vonne Noland, Religion; Mary Ann Bryan, Nature; Lois Evans, Immortality; Betty Vivier, Fidelity; Charlene Franklin, Patriotism; Arlene Vivier, Service; Lois Collins, confidential observer; Frances Anderson, outer observer; Loren Boromini, treasurer; Edith Thomsen, recorder; and Eleanor Hall, musician; Adele Jessperson, choir leader; Sydney Price, banner bearer; Beverly Geddis, historian; Anita Scott and Thelma Williamson, candle lighters; Jean Roddan, Rainbow prayer; and the choir as follows: Wilma Austin, Georgia Crystal, Joy Coen, Alene Wiley, Doris Smith, Evelyn Lyon, Audrey Irish, Annie Rossi, Betty Lefevre, Thelma Boromini and Betty Baker.

The officers elect for El Dorado Chapter include: Bill Sayers, master councilor; Bob Woodward, senior councilor; Robert Veerkamp, junior councilor; Bill Johnson, chaplain; James Pierson, senior deacon; Baxter Eskew, junior deacon; Bill Rupley, senior steward; Robert Weidman, junior steward; Wallace Meyers, marshal; Bill Dillinger, standard bearer; Robert Sinclair, sentinel; Clinton Bryan, almoner; Joe Ronzone, orator; and preceptors as follows, James Truscott, Robert Allen, William Rhorer, Charles Simpson, Russell Harvey, Pack Ferrari and Stanley Hill.



### STIMSON URGES BRITISH AID Secretary Of War Sees Grave Danger Of Invasion If Britain Loses Fleet

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson said today he believed the United States would be "in very great danger of invasion by air in the contingency that the British navy should be destroyed or surrendered."

Stimson, testifying before the house foreign affairs committee in support of the administration's aid-to-Britain bill, made the statement in response to a question by Rep. Hamilton Fish, R., N. Y.

Fish said advocates of the bill seemed to base their support on the fear of invasion and he asked Stimson's opinion of the likelihood of invasion.

"I think we are in very great danger of an invasion by air in the contingency that the British Navy should be destroyed or surrendered," Stimson replied.

The committee resumed hearings on the measure after receiving a plea from former President Herbert Hoover to reassure "an apprehensive and confused" public by defining at once the specific powers proposed to be granted to President Roosevelt.

Hoover's statement, announced in New York, was transmitted to the committee in a letter to Chairman Sol Bloom. The former President disapproved "our joining the war" but favored "every practicable aid, short of war" to Great Britain.

### MISS DORIS MARSH TO RESUME STUDIES AT PACIFIC COLLEGE

Miss Doris Marsh has returned from a stay of several months at the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis at Warm Springs, Georgia, and is making plans to resume her school work at the College of Pacific at Stockton.

This is according to Mrs. Lois Miller, aunt of Miss Marsh, who was here during the week from Sacramento where she is visiting with her sister and another aunt.

Miss Marsh is able to get about with the aid of a cane and leg braces. She may return to Warm Springs in about a year for further treatment of her right wrist.

Friends report she has high praise for the physical plant and for the care she received at the Warm Springs Foundation and that in returning to college she hopes to complete training for a teaching position.

### FORMER LABOR OFFICIAL ADMITS CHARGE OF TAX EVASION

NEW YORK, (UP)—George Scallie, former president of the International Building Service Employees Union (AFL), pleaded guilty in federal court today on one count of a three-count indictment charging him with income tax evasion for 1937, 1938 and 1939.

Judge Mortimer W. Byers remanded Scallie in the custody of U. S. Marshal Arthur Jaeger pending his sentence January 30.

Scallie, already under sentence of 10 to 20 years for stealing money from his union, was brought here from Sing Sing prison to face trial on an indictment accusing him of defrauding the government of \$103,000.

### 3 FT. OF SNOW ON SKI SLOPES

Snowline Thursday At  
Pollock Pines; Rain For  
Season Totals 19.79 Ins.

#### RAINFALL

September	.03
October	1.45
November	1.68
December	11.84
January 4	.37
January 5	.31
January 6	.35
January 7	1.42
January 13	.67
January 14	1.22
January 15	.45
Total	19.79

The normal to Jan. 1 is 13.99 inches.  
The normal to February 1 is 21.41 inches.

The Weather Man took charge of things during the week to cover the Lover's Leap Ski Area with a mantle of snow forty inches deep, setting the stage, as you might say, for a weekend of winter sports marking the tenth anniversary of the launching of the Placerville Ski Club.

His enthusiasm in his work brought snowfall as far westerly as the Five-Mile Terrace tract east of Placerville, although Thursday morning the state Division of Highways reported that the edge of the white cloak had retreated to Pollock Pines, fourteen miles easterly from Placerville.

In the lower country, from day to day, the storm was in the form of rain in amounts in Placerville as are indicated in the above tabulation, with the total precipitation for the season up to Thursday morning reading 19.79 inches.

While this is below the expected normal to February 1st, the P. G. & E. Company's co-operative weather observer states it is 1.89 inches greater than the expected normal to this date of the month.

This same source reported seventy inches of snow at Twin Lakes Wednesday morning.

Thursday readings by the state Division of Highways are:

Chains required at Pollock Pines, where there are three inches of snow; a trace of snow remains near the eight-mile stone;

Kyburz, two inches of snow; Strawberry, two inches of new snow, total 26 inches;

Twin Bridges, two inches of new snow, total 40 inches; road closed at this point.

There was no report of serious damage resulting from the storm.

### COMMANDERY, CHAPTER INSTALL JOINTLY ON JANUARY 24

Officers recently elected and appointed for El Dorado Commandery No. 4, Knights Templar, and St. James Chapter No. 16, R. A. M., will be installed at a joint meeting of the two orders on Friday evening, January 24, at the Masonic temple.

The members are being informed they may invite their ladies to attend the meeting, which will conclude with a social period during which refreshments will be served.

C. C. Herbert, forest road superintendent, was in the Kelsey section Thursday.

## WEATHER

Cloudy tonight, Fri; snow above 5000 feet Fri.; rain below; warmer tonight.

### DECISION IN WATER SUIT GIVEN

Approval Of Application  
In Refinancing Granted  
By Judge Martin Welsh

Judge Martin I. Welsh, in the United States District Court at Sacramento, on Wednesday handed down a decision approving and granting the application of the El Dorado Irrigation District for a permit to proceed with adjustment of its bonded debt.

The effect of the decision is to direct that the district may proceed to settle with the holders of twenty-four of the district's outstanding bonds at the figure of fifty and one-half cents on the dollar.

This was the basis on which the holders of all except twenty-four of the outstanding bonds settled with the district several years ago.

The decision means that the \$688,000 bonded debt of the district will be settled at the above rate and, in fact, reduced virtually by half.

Word of the court's decision in the case was received Thursday morning by Thomas Maul, attorney for the irrigation district.

Any probability of further litigation on the subject appears dissipated by the ruling of the United States Supreme Court last week in the Merced Irrigation District case, in which the petition for approval of reorganization steps was in many respects similar to the El Dorado Irrigation District's petition. The United States Supreme Court ruled in favor of the district's petition for approval of reorganization.

### Legion Host At Civic Dinner

4 Cited For Service;  
Auxiliary Members, Who  
Prepared Feed, Steal Show

The annual civic dinner of El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, was held Wednesday night at the War Veterans' Memorial Building and the meeting of the post which followed was the occasion for the presentation to John A. Winkelman, Malcolm Wright, George Faugstad and L. J. Anderson, citations from the State Commander for distinguished service to the post and to their community.

District Attorney Henry S. Lyon made the presentation.

The evening was a complete success but it was generally agreed that members of the American Legion Auxiliary, who prepared the 199 pounds of turkey and the necessary "fixins", had stolen the show, for the dinner was acclaimed generally as delicious.

Following dinner, Paul R. Smith, commander of the post, called on various men prominent in the community for short talks. Among these were Judge George H. Thompson, Charles E. Hand, James B. Blair, A. H. Murray and Mayor Charles Molinari.

Following the regular meeting of the post, the members and their guests spent the balance of the evening at games in the club rooms.

### NATIVE SONS, DAUGHTERS SEAT OFFICERS ON JANUARY 28th

The members of Placerville Parlor No. 9, N. S. G. W., and of Marguerite Parlor No. 12, N. D. G. W., are making plans for a joint meeting and installation of officers for the new term, to be held the evening of January 28th. The meeting will be at the Masonic hall. Officers were recently named by the two orders in their respective meetings.

### SCOUT TROOP 57 TO HAVE MARTIN LUTHER AS SCOUTMASTER

Martin Luther has been appointed Scoutmaster for Troop 57 of Boy Scouts, it was announced Thursday following a meeting of the troop committee on Wednesday night.

The troop has been called to meet Tuesday night at the Federated Church, in full uniform, for their annual roll call and to hold their first meeting with the new Scoutmaster.



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## YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT  
Central Press Writer

THE ROOF over the congressional chambers in the Capitol at Washington is being repaired and the man at the next desk wants to know if it got out of whack through expansion due to hot air.

It's Grandpappy Jenkins who remarks that after that recent sleet storm a motorist may say he's familiar with fluid driving.

School children of Kankakee, Ill., pelted a department store Santa Claus appearing in a parade. They probably thought he was running for president.

A snowflake is a creation of matchless beauty, says a writer.

THERE are too many colleges, says a noted educator. In which statement every sport writer, finishing his All-American selections, heartily agrees.

An auto depreciates two cents in value for every mile it is driven, according to statistics. This depends, many a worried hubby will add, on who is driving.

Maybe we shouldn't bring it up at this time, but wasn't Mussolini going to get tough with Gibraltar or something?

An army, according to Napoleon, travels on its stomach.

We agree—but sixty trillion of them on your front walk is something decidedly less.

Luis Logan, a Manila heavyweight, claims to be the champion of the Orient. Just wait until some of those Japanese generals hear about that.

Like many a lesser car, the Italian war machine has found the going very heavy at this time of year.

The new "squash king" for 1940 is a South Paris, Mo., farmer and not, as you may have supposed, the world's heavyweight champion wrestler.

Not the army of unemployed—it travels via its thumb.

We'll know national unity is an established fact when we hear a Californian praise Florida weather—or vice versa.

Reverse calendars to be read in barber shop mirrors are the latest. But what we really need is a newspaper that can be read through a hot, steaming towel.

Grandpappy Jenkins, after vainly trying to get the kids up for school, thinks it should be called the slowly rising generation.

## On The Air Tonight

**5 to 6 p. m.**  
KFBK—Pot of Gold Program; 5:30 Bud Barton; 5:45 Straight Shooters.  
KROY—Music Teachers; 5:15 Geo. Engar; 5:30 Varieties; 5:45 News. KSFO—News; 5:10 Studio Program; 5:15 The Goldbergs; 5:30 Best Buys; 5:45 Bob Garred.  
KPO—News; 5:10 Peter Paul; 5:15 Jack Armstrong; 5:30 the Aldrich Family.  
KGO—Pot of Gold Program; 5:30 The Aldrich Family.  
KPRC—Announced; 5:15 Ray Noble; 5:30 Shafter Parker; 5:45 Captain Midnight.  
**6 to 7 p. m.**  
KFBK—H. V. Kallernborn; 6:15, Ski School; 6:30 News; 6:35 The George Breese Orchestra; 6:45 the Governor Speaks.  
KROY—Serenade; 6:15 Concert; 6:45 Meet the Band.  
KSFO—Major Bowes Amateur Hour.  
KPO—Kraft Music Hall Program.  
KGO—Plack Presents; 6:30 News; 6:25 to be announced; 6:45 the News Conference.  
KPRC—Supper Concert; 6:30, John B. Hughes News; 6:45 Plantationaires.  
**7 to 8 p. m.**  
KFBK—The Camel Caravan; 7:30 Maxwell House Time.  
KROY—20-30 Club; 7:15 What's on Your Mind; 7:50 News.  
KSFO—Glenn Miller; 7:15 What's on Your Mind?; 7:45 Elmer Davis; 7:50 News.  
KPO—Camel Caravan; 7:30 Musical Americana.  
KGO—Forum; 7:15 Five Edwards; 7:30 News; 7:45 Paul Martin.  
KPRC—Gabriel Heatter; 7:15 Sports; 7:30 Wythe Williams; 7:45 to be announced.  
**8 to 9 p. m.**  
KFBK—L. A. County Band; 8:15, Fire Prevention Program; 8:30, Good News of 1941.  
KROY—Community Players; 8:15 Jimmie Lunceford; 8:30 Music by Les Parker.  
KSFO—Amos and Andy; 8:15, Orchestra; 8:30 Ask It Basket.  
KPO—Pleasure Time; 8:15 The Himber Orchestra; 8:30 Maxwell House Program.  
KGO—S. F. Presents; 8:30 Tommy Dorsey.  
KPRC—Standard Symphony Hour Program.  
**9 to 10 p. m.**  
KFBK—Easy Aces; 9:15 Mr. Keen; 9:30 Carter Family.  
KROY—Dance Time; 9:30 to be announced.  
KSFO—City Desk; 9:25 News; 9:30 Council Table.  
KPO—Big Town Program; 9:30, The West.  
KGO—Easy Aces; 9:15 Mr. Keen; 9:30 Dress Rehearsal.  
KPRC—News; 9:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr.; 9:30 Music by Freddie Martin.  
**10 to 11 p. m.**  
KFBK—Mainer Mountaineers; 10:30 Orchestra.  
KROY—Don Allen; 10:15 Nightcap Yarns; 10:30 Hal Howard.  
KSFO—Announced 10:15 News; 10:30 Orchestra.  
KPO—News; 10:15 Concert; 10:30 Safety First.  
KGO—Orchestra; 10:30 Garry Nottingham.  
KPRC—The Haven of Rest; 10:30, Norman Nesbitt; 10:45 Phil Harris Orchestra.  
**11 p. m. to 12 Midnight**  
KFBK—Orchestra Music; 11:45, News.  
KROY—Clark Ross Orch.; 10:30, Manny Strand; 11:55 News.  
KSFO—News; 11:15 Clark Ross; 11:30 Master Works; 11:55 News.  
KPO—NBC Ground Breaking Program.  
KGO—News; 11:15 Music You Want.  
KPRC—Phil Harris Orchestra; 11:15 Mojica Orchestra; 11:45 News.

## PEAR BOWL TO OPEN JAN. 27

Preview To Be Followed By Formal Program And Exhibition February 1

The management of the Pear Bowl, El Dorado County's six-drive bowling center, during the week announced plans for a preview opening on Monday night, January 27th, to be followed by the formal opening Saturday night, February 1, when a match between top-flight bowlers from Sacramento and Lodi will be a feature.

A meeting has been called for Monday night, February 10, at Hotel Raffles, to discuss establishment of a county bowling association.

Lloyd A. Raffetto and A. H. Murray, who are installing the Pear Bowl on Main street just a few doors east of the Cannon Garage, had instituted plans to have the preview and grand opening on January 25th. But this arrangement gave way to the plans announced above so that the event would not conflict with the annual Gold Discovery dance, at Coloma, on January 25th.

William Krause, of the Raffles Hotel staff, has been named manager for the Pear Bowl and the management is developing special exercises for the preview opening.

Curtis Coppin, of the Pioneer Market, has agreed to undertake bowling instruction for men and Mrs. Coppin will instruct women enthusiasts in the sport.

Mr. and Mrs. Coppin are both well-known and accomplished bowlers, the former having taken part in top-flight teams in state tournaments and in national competition. Mrs. Coppin has competed in state tournaments and has instructed in bowling among women at Sacramento.

Following the opening festivities on Monday evening, January 27, open bowling will be in order for the balance of the evening.

The program for the formal opening Saturday night, February 1st, will feature the three-game match between Lodi and Sacramento.

Sacramento bowlers will send Frank Orselli, Joe Fitzgerald, Bill David and Bob Robinson to Placerville to join Curt Coppin in sending out a barrage of strikes and spares intended to make things interesting for a picked team from Lodi.

Fans who are interested in seeing some of the best bowlers in Central California crash the keys will have an opportunity to do so when this match goes on.

Letters are being addressed bowling fans and others who might be interested, announcing the opening of the Pear Bowl and the plans for forming the bowling association on February 10th.

The 1941 convention of the California Farm Bureau Federation will be held in San Jose.

## THREE FROM COUNTY NAMED TO AAA CONFERENCE AT PACIFIC GROVE

Farmers have seen drastic changes in the world picture this past year, and it looks as if 1941 will bring conditions again which put us "on our mettle," stated El Dorado county AAA chairman, L. A. Enzler today.

"For that reason, we appreciate more than ever this year the importance of the annual conference of AAA county committeemen from fifty-six counties of the state to be held January 23-25 at Asilomar, Pacific Grove," he pointed out.

Invitations to the conference were received last week from Dave Davidson, chairman of the California State AAA Committee at Berkeley, by members of the county committee and the farm advisor.

Committeemen scheduled to attend the three-day conference from this county are Enzler, Dan Bassi and Alburn Veerkamp.

The general theme of the conference is, "How county committeemen can better fit themselves to meet the strenuous times ahead."

## Heavy Banana Loss In Colombia Hurricane

SANTA MARIA, Colombia, (UP)—Storms of hurricane force swept all through the banana growing zone in this area yesterday, destroying an estimated 250,000 banana plants.

## BUDDY BAER IS SOUNDLY TROUNCED IN BOUT WITH BLUNT

OAKLAND, (UP)—Buddy Baer, Maxie's little 243-pound brother, was put on the shelf for at least six weeks today. He collided with a human windmill named Eddie Blunt, of New York, last night and took one of the most beautiful shellacking of his erratic career.

Blunt levelled on Buddy's eyes to the extent that stitches were required to close the cuts over both optics and Ancil (Pop) Hoffman, who viewed the carnage through his fingers after the first round, decided Buddy needed a long rest to recuperate.

## Compulsory Liability Insurance Urged

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—A bill to force automobile owners to buy liability insurance before they could obtain their license plates was one of the most important bills in the assembly today.

Introduced by Ernest O. Voigt, Democrat, Los Angeles, the bill would require that every automobile be covered by about \$2,500 insurance.

Mrs. Edith Miller is spending the week at Sacramento with relatives.

The survey of the Friant-Kern canal has been completed for seventy-two miles south of Friant Dam.

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## "MURDER WILL NOT OUT" by WHITMAN CHAMBERS

### CHAPTER IX

THE TALL FELLOW stepped over to Johnnie. He bent down and cuffed him viciously with his right hand and then with his left.

"Get up! Get on your feet, you milk-guzzler."

Johnnie got up. His neck was rubber. He couldn't seem to keep his head from wobbling around.

"Stand right where you are, Slat.," the tall one ordered. "And you, too, Red. This foolishness has gone far enough. If they move a muscle, Harry, plug 'em. You got that, Harry?"

"I ain't got nothing else but," Harry glared, rubbing the back of his neck.

"Nice show, boys," Mogo Finelli said. "How about giving me a rain check?"

"How about keeping your trap shut?" Harry retorted.

"Ramage" ran into the bedroom. After a minute he came out with a long suitcase in his left hand and a very short, very flat automatic in his right.

"Now listen, you three guys," he said crisply. "We're taking a walk, all five of us. We're walking over to the airport, where you three mugs are seeing Mr. Ramage and his pilot off for Los Angeles. We're going to stroll along, talking about the races today and any other foggy thing you please, just like everything was on the up and up.

"Harry and I'll each have a gun in our pocket trained on you all the way. If anything goes wrong and we have to fight our way out, you guys'll get plugged first. And there's a Tommy-gun in this suitcase that I can get into action in less than 10 seconds. So think it over. All set, Harry?"

"Yeah."

"Then toss me Finelli's wallet and herd these guys out."

"Hey!" Finelli began. "This ain't my beef. Half the dough in that wallet—"

"Wrong!" the tall crook broke in. "All the dough in that wallet belongs to me. Move, rat!"

They filed out, the five of them. They walked along the deserted corridor, down the stairs and out of the patio through a side door. They met no one in the 200 yards of gravelled path which ran through the lush tropical gardens to the airport.

As they emerged onto the field which lay white in the moonlight, two men in blue uniforms came out of the shadows.

"Watch yourself!" Harry Smith cautioned, and Johnnie felt the muzzle of a gun prod his forearm.

"Mr. Ramage and his pilot are leaving for Los Angeles," Johnnie announced.

"O. K., Mr. De Voe," one of the officers said. "Have you plenty of gas and oil, sir?"

"Yes, sir."

"They all walked over to the blue Petrel, the fourth ship in a line of seven at the edge of the field. "Ramage" opened the door of the cabin, tossed in his suitcase and stood back, watchful. Smith climbed in. The starter whirled, the motor caught. Smith gunned it a few times and then left it ticking over. Lowering a window forward of the door, he poked his head out, said:

"Guess we're set."

He spoke to "Ramage" but his eyes were on Johnnie and Red and the two officers. Without a word

the tall crook swung up through the door.

At that instant a little man came running from the direction of the hotel. He shouted breathlessly:

"Mr. Ramage! Wait! Wait!"

The tall crook swore briefly. Harry Smith said in an undertone: "Might as well take him along." And then to Hawks: "Climb in, Monk."

The ex-jockey gained the door in a flying leap and scrambled into the cabin. The door slammed. The men on the ground heard whispered instructions, while Harry Smith still hung out the window watching them. Then his head ducked in, the motor roared and the big blue Petrel started to roll.

"It wasn't my beef and part of the dough in that wallet—" Mogo Finelli began.

Red Munson cursed, his voice shrill with impotent rage.

The two men in uniform stared, mouths agape.

And then Joe Soares and three officers, all with drawn guns, were abruptly on the scene.

Johnnie De Voe screamed, "Don't shoot, Joe! Don't shoot! Somebody might hear—"

He broke off, balanced an instant on his toes. As the Petrel gathered speed and moved away he leaped for the leading edge of the elevator.

He caught it as it flew past, got a good grip, swung himself up and onto the narrow tail of the fuselage. There he clung, while the ship gathered speed and roared off in a cloud of alkali dust.

At thirty miles an hour the pilot eased his stick forward to bring up the tail. It did not come up; the ship had not been designed to lift 190 pounds on its tail.

The motor roared faster, louder. At 40 miles an hour the pilot eased his stick forward again. The tail would not come up. He opened the throttle wide and, with less than a hundred yards separating him from the low trees at the far side of the field, made one last desperate effort. Johnnie held his breath and methodically kicked his feet through the fabric of the elevator.

The tail refused to rise from the ground. At better than fifty miles an hour the big ship shot straight toward the trees, and the deep arroyo beyond them. Then it started to swing in a wide circle to the right.

A head and an arm and one shoulder emerged from the cabin window. A spurt of flame broke from the end of the arm. Then another and another, the sounds of the shots drowned by the roar of the big Hornet.

Johnnie put his head down, held on, made himself as flat as possible against the fuselage. He felt the ship's circle growing tighter, felt the plane tilt slightly as green-black trees rushed past so close he could almost have touched them.

The tail slid shrieked on the hard-packed field as it whipped around. Then abruptly the left wheel crumpled. The ship heeled over. The left wing struck the ground with a splintering crash.

The tail shot up as the plane ground-looped. And Johnnie De Voe, on the end of that powerful catapult, hurtled into space.

Johnnie came out of the darkness with the smell of antiseptic burning his nose. He opened his eyes to the bright lights and the white walls of the resort's little

emergency hospital, and looked up into the anxious face of Red Munson.

"How's it, boss?" Red asked. "Terrible," Johnnie moved an arm, groaned.

"That's how you look. But the nurse says you're not hurt—much. Those thick cedars at the edge of the field broke your fall, even if they did tear off most of your skin."

Johnnie groaned again, turned his head away from the light and looked into the lugubrious face of Mogo Finelli.

"My wallet burned up in the fire," Finelli said sadly.

"Huh?" Johnnie sat up abruptly, forgetting his aching back. "What fire?"

Red shrugged. "The plane caught fire."

"And those three crooks?" Johnnie blurted.

"Fried," said Mogo Finelli. Johnnie eased back on the bed. "How much are we out?"

"Just the ten G's that Finelli won. His wallet went up in the smoke—with the guy who called himself Ramage."

"How about the money Hawks and the two dames won?"

"Harry Smith had it all. He fell out of the plane when it rolled into the arroyo on the other side of that border of trees. He was covered with burning gasoline. Must have lived five or ten minutes after we dragged him away. But the dough was only scorched."

Johnnie suddenly sat up again. "Look. How much of this will get into the papers? You know. I've told you time and again—"

"I know, I know," Red interrupted. "A press agent's job is to word. He not only has to get good publicity into the papers, but he has to keep bad publicity out of the papers."

"Yes," said Johnnie. "And a couple of smart reporters nosing around—"

"There aren't any smart reporters," Munson cracked. "They all got jobs as press agents."

"This is no time for comedy, Red. The reputation of Fuente Fria is at stake."

"Now look, boss. The blue Petrel rolled off into that arroyo, which is a good two hundred feet deep. Apparently only one tank busted, and that couldn't have had much gas in it. Enough—you know what I mean—but we got the blaze out with the chemical cart before the other tanks caught. At this time of night all our guests are either asleep or in the Casino. Nobody except half a dozen employees saw the blaze. And I've got a gang at work already cleaning up the wreckage. Outside of our own men, not a soul knows what's happened here—except Mogo Finelli."

"And Mogo Finelli," said that gentleman unhappily, "is pulling out of here tomorrow—busted."

Johnnie lay back on the bed, closed his eyes. "Ten thousand dollars," he murmured. "Cheap at twice the price. Fuente Fria keeps its good name. . . . No phony wheels at Fuente. . . . No ruff stuff. . . . No crooks. . . . Safest place in the world—if you mind your own business."

"If you mind your own business," Mogo Finelli echoed sadly.

"I think," said Johnnie De Voe, "I'd like a glass of milk."

(The End)

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## FAMED LINGUIST HELD FOR "WAR NERVES" MURDER OF HIS WIFE

LONDON, (UP)—Prof. Arthur Lloyd James, internationally famous phonetic expert, was remanded in custody for nine days today on the charge that he stabbed his musician wife to death in Great Britain's first "war nerves" murder.

James and his wife had suffered severely from shock after a narrow escape from death in a pre-Christmas air raid, and both had been in a hospital.

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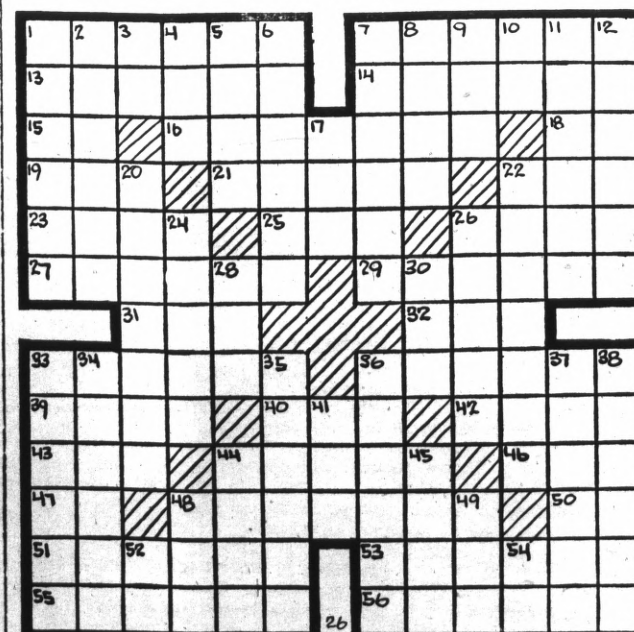
## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

ACROSS  
1—Uncultured  
2—Thinly diffused  
3—Any person  
4—Serious admonition  
5—That thing  
6—Transporting  
7—Influence  
8—Grandchild  
9—(Scottish)  
10—Soak in liquid  
11—Emaciated person  
12—Pointed instrument  
13—Man's name  
14—Latin suffix  
15—On sheltered side  
16—Speak angrily  
17—Send away forcibly  
18—Join closely  
19—Free, as from burden  
20—More gentle  
21—Find support  
22—North American  
23—Indian  
24—Possess  
25—Of sound and vigorous health  
26—Atmospheric fluid  
27—Piece of wood  
28—Highly prized family possession  
29—French maritime article  
30—Piano-playing mechanism  
31—Arch for "you"  
32—Strike golf ball with extreme tip of club  
33—Persuvian Indian  
34—Circle  
35—Brought reproach upon  
36—Woman's name  
37—New England state (abbr.)  
38—Less rapid  
39—Small hole  
40—Small child  
41—Slow trot  
42—Pertaining to ownership of land  
43—Large wickerwork hamper  
44—Servile imitative  
45—Livestock  
46—Fish-eating bird  
47—Device for weighing  
48—Aid  
49—Which turns on axle  
50—Gain derived  
51—One who kills  
52—Circular to cross-section  
53—Conquer  
54—Oriental country  
55—Southern secret society  
56—For  
57—Part of circle  
58—Perform  
59—Chinese measure

DOWN  
1—Elevate  
2—Not rippled  
3—Down  
4—Make beloved  
5—Store  
6—Blustery  
7—Repetition of performance  
8—OWN  
9—Bleat  
10—Not rippled  
11—Down  
12—British





## HI CHATTER

BY  
**Bill Dillinger**  
PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

### Girls Drill Team

The Cougar basketball teams, who took two out of three games from Ione January 10, are scheduled to meet some really tough opposition from Jackson Friday night. The Amador lads are supposed to have a red-hot B team, and their A and C squads are the equals of any in the league. "Weuns" however, have the advantage of our own home court, and the locals have done pretty well in their practice games, too.

The chief strategy will be to dazzle our opponents before they even get loose on the gym floor. This will be accomplished by the drill team, a collection of about thirty of the fairest damsels in the school. The girls, decked out in pretty blue and white uniforms with red sashes, go through complicated marching formations and even have a few card stunts to delight the crowd. Drill Sergeant Loreen Boromini—she's the gal in the short dress who does the whistle blowing—marches them in circles and straight lines and angles, by ones, by twos, by fours and by thirties, and in all manner of fancy formations.

It's a regular "dry land aquacade!" The performance is scheduled for between halves of the C game, and the C game starts at seven o'clock, sharp, so you'd better get there early because you can't afford to miss the show. If advance comments are reliable, at the next home game, the boys will play basketball between halves of the drill team performance!

Ah well, you'll have to come and see for yourself. Webster didn't invent enough adjectives for me to describe it to you.

A chemistry experiment: Take If, as the poets say, "music hath

five grams of sulphur. Place on a rubber stopper. Ignite. Result—but let's not go into that. Suffice to say that they've been fumigating the lab ever since; and that the four erstwhile experimenters, having been forced to endure the choking odors for nearly a whole period, agree with Shakespeare that, "A rose by any other name would smell!" Pass the perfume, boys!

### Skiers Organize

The school can be justly proud of its new Ski Club, which, under the direction of Mr. Shepard and Mr. Cook, has already held two meetings and made one expedition up to the snow. About thirty aspiring skiers attended the first meeting, electing Bob Weidman, the lad whose sole attention for the last few months has been given over to organizing the club, as president. His fellow officers are: Vice president, Homer Castonia; secretary, Elcanor Swift, and treasurer, Elwyn Olmstead. Present paid-up membership is one, Barbara Long. The rest, including the new prey, have yet to dig up their seventy-five cents dues.

A group of twenty or thereabouts went up to Twin Bridges Sunday where they were given skiing instruction by Mr. Shepard, who has had a lot of experience with high school ski clubs elsewhere in the state. Mr. Cook also tagged along, but, according to him, he "just skied."

### Wind Blows

"Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your ears!" And when this burst of oratory gets under way, you'll gladly lend your ears or even give them away just to get some peace and quiet. Yes sir, the public speaking season is upon us, and already there are eight or ten aspirants for both the Native Sons and Lions Club contests. They're going at it harder than ever this year, trying to follow the footsteps of Bob Woodward, who went into the state finals for the Lions' Club a year ago.

### No Moosic

If, as the poets say, "music hath

charms to soothe the savage beast," how can you account for all the frowns and scowls of the would-be dancers who sally forth on the gym floor each noon to the music of the P. A. System phonograph? Maybe we're just too optimistic in calling the groans and screeches that come out of the sound box "music." If somebody doesn't dig up some records pretty quick, we may have to drag out the glee club in order to dance to the lilting strains of their rendition of "Shortnin' Bread." We will bestow the honorary title of "Boogey Woogey Man" to the first person who donates some records. Come on you "alligators, get in the groove."

## S. F. Markets

SAN FRANCISCO, (UP)—Daily Markets:

Butter — 92 score 31; 91 score 30½; 90 score 30¼; 89 score 29¾.  
Cheese — Wholesale flats 17½;  
Eggs — Large standards 26½; medium 24½; small 22½.  
grade A 28; medium grade A 26; smalls 24.

Nye Nissen Eggs—Large grade AA 29; medium grade A 26; small grade A 24.

## Behind Scene In Business

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Board). Employment is already running at close to the 1929 pace, both in agriculture and non-agriculture fields, so the current unemployment must be largely due to the expansion of potential workers' supply since '29. This expansion is estimated to be at the rate of about 600,000 per year. The NICB estimates that by the end of March the defense industries will have absorbed 3,450,000 workers — since early in 1940.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR — A new addition to the diverse line of packaged fruit and vegetable juices — concentrated watermelon juice! — Recording of semiserious and serious concert music by some of our hottest dance-band toolsters, with clarinetists Benny Goodman and Artie Shaw in the van — the latter has just toolled a "Concerto in F" on wax, that puts him in the vertuous brackets—A small aluminum device that clips onto any right-handed No. 2 golf iron, converting it into a left-hand club for use when a bad lie against a tree or other obstruction makes it impossible to swing from the right side.

## MILITARY CADET CORPS IN JUNIOR COLLEGES IS AIM OF BILL

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 16. (Special)—Assemblyman Allen G. Thurman, of Colfax, representing El Dorado county in the lower house of the State Legislature introduced his first bill of the session this week. The bill will permit California junior colleges to participate in the California high school cadet program. The bill which is a defense measure, amends the military and veterans code so that junior colleges can receive the same equipment and training as high school students are now permitted to have, in co-operation with the adjutant general's office.

Thurman said that his bill primarily concerned Placer Junior College at Auburn which has a large registration of students from El Dorado county. The Placer Junior College desires to join with Placer Union High School in the cadet program. Both schools are administered by the same board of trustees. The cadet program is now in effect in the high school. The state furnishes the rifles and racks and other equipment. However, the

school or college district, must furnish the uniforms and instructor. The bill carries an urgency clause and would go into effect immediately upon enactment by the legislature. It would add sections 518 and 519 to the code.

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# LITTLE JIMMIE SPRAGUE HAS MEASLES THOUSANDS DIE IN RUMANIAN QUAKE

by

W. B. Curtis, Advertising Manager General Petroleum Corporation

TONGUES are wagging up and down the block. Over the back fences mothers are passing the word along. Mrs. Sprague's little boy, Jimmy, has "taken down with the measles."

On the same day an earthquake in Rumania takes a deadly toll in life and property and human happiness. Sadness and sympathy fill our hearts, but that far-off country seems so remote as to almost lie in the realm of fantasy.

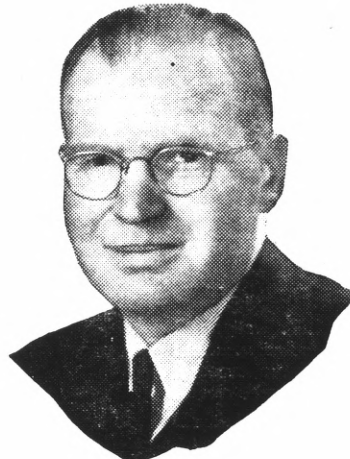
But little Jimmy Sprague lives right down the block. He is real, his illness is a close, intimate part of our everyday small town life. He is news.

That, in a few words, explains the great value of the local newspaper. Folk in the small towns, the large towns and in the outlying rural sections look to the local newspaper for the news of their communities—what is going on, who is marrying whom, what the town council is going to do about the new water works.

And who is selling what for how much!

This is why our company regards the local newspaper as such an important part of our advertising. Based on the principle that "Joe Doakes sells Mobilgas" is more definite and more inviting than a general statement that "Mobilgas is sold by a nearby, conveniently located service station," we have made constant efforts to have the local dealer join us in our advertising and reap the benefit of so doing.

Our company has so definitely proven the results in good will and business derived from newspaper advertising that in the past three years we have encouraged our dealers to spend a reasonable amount of their own funds for this purpose.



W. B. CURTIS

We are gratified that many of them have joined with us, wholeheartedly, in this advertising drive for better volume. We have assisted these dealers in preparing advertising copy and mats, and special sales ideas, for their own use, so they could "cash in" in their own communities on the large amounts spent by the company to popularize Mobil products and services.

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I am personally proud of the fact that, for many years, General Petroleum Corporation has been a consistent buyer of newspaper advertising space. During these years our company has grown from a comparatively small marketer to one of the large and successful oil companies of the West. To keep pace with the demand built through advertising and service, we have invested large sums in constant additions to the number of Mobilgas service stations, thus adding to local improvement and employment, and making our products and services available to progressive communities which have generously responded to advertising.

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### Haste In Naval Armoring Urged By Committee

WASHINGTON, (UP) — The house naval affairs committee today approved a \$1,200,000,000 emergency authorization program for more ships, ship yards, gun and armor factories and protection of the fleet from air attack.

The committee urged speedy enactment of the final draft of the measure which was worked out after a brief meeting with navy officials.

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5 RM UNFURN. house and garage. Apply 67 Coloma St. 56-12-19-1f.

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BACHELOR Cabin. 161 Bedford Ave. 33-1-8-3

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FURNISHED 6 rm. house. Phone 371. 45-1-14-6.

FURN House, 5 rms, bath, gar. \$20. Near H. Sch. V. Cox, Ph. 41F2. 43-1-14-6

BACHELOR cabin. Partly furn. Water free. 32 Union St. 42-1-14tf

### LOST

TIRE AND WHEEL for Ford V-8. Between Camino and Placerville. Notify Cannon Chevrolet Co. Reward. 37-1-13-3

### FOR SALE

PIANO BARGAIN. Latest type Spinetto piano to be sold here in Placerville at BIG SAVINGS. Terms like rent can be arranged. For particulars write at once to Gline Piano Co., 1307 J St., Sacramento, Calif. 38-1-13-3

36 CHEV Truck, 1 1/4 T, good cond., \$300 cash. Beacon Serv. Sta., MI. West Placerville. 17-1-6-3

GOOD Gasoline pump and oil tanks. Also elect. sign. Call at Al Brewster's Cabins. 44-1-14-3

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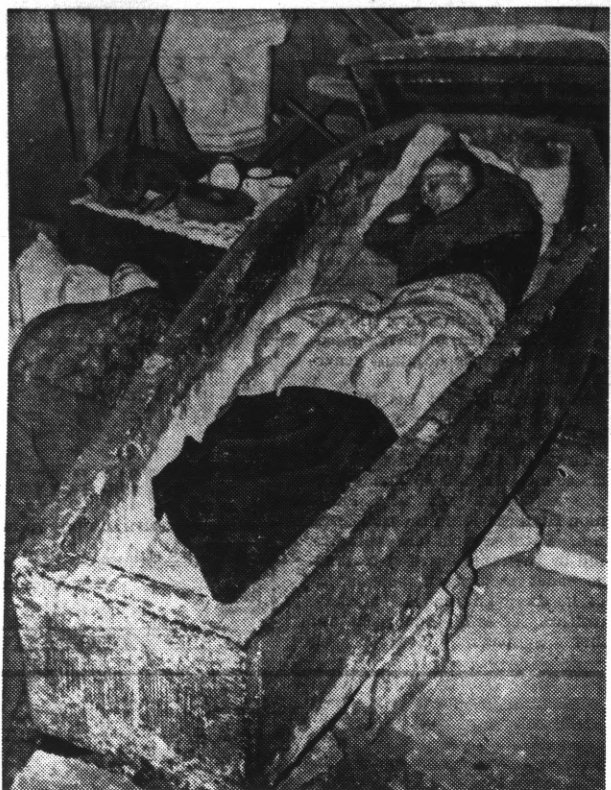
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### MISCELLANEOUS

SIGNS, SHOWARDS, GOLD LEAF Trucks lettered, banners, etc. Orders taken at this office for Mac-ray Signs. 518-6tc.

## Coffin a Bomb Refuge



A 400-year-old stone coffin in the crypt of the Church of Christ Spitalfields is the bed of Michael O'Connor, a London East End laborer whose home was destroyed some months ago by a Nazi bomb. Hundreds sleep in the crypt, a refuge from air bombing.

## New G-E Models Are Displayed

Sportsman's Shop Showing Several Types In Popular Refrigerators For '41

Don Goodrich of the Sportsman's Shop recently received a shipment of the newest and latest in electric refrigeration—General Electric 1941 models—a complete showing now at his store, in the Masonic Temple.

Don H. and Donald H. Goodrich, representing the El Dorado county dealership, were in San Francisco the first of last week at a preview showing of the General Electric Supply Company's complete line of major appliances.

According to the two local men it was one of the finest presentations ever given by the General Electric Company. One of the feature attractions of the show was the 1941 refrigerator. Twenty models were included, showing six, seven and eight foot boxes for home use, as well as outstanding commercial models. In the former there are three types "Standard," "Imperial" and "Deluxe."

A new unit designed for use this year, is the model for farm homes. This type model showing at the store is of eight-foot capacity and has an extra large storage space. This, the dealer explains, eliminates frequent trips to the market, and is becoming exceedingly popular.

In addition there are six other models now on display at the local store, representative of all of the major popular models in the General Electric line.

New features this year include: new, larger freezing unit which has been placed at the extreme right in the top of the cabinet, thus providing greater storage space in the top portion of the box, a butter conditioner, making it possible to keep a pound of butter at spreading temperature, a feature that is standard equipment in all deluxe models, but optional at small extra cost on others, and a dry storage space at the extreme bottom front of the cabinet, with ample space for foods not requiring refrigeration. The super-freezer, chiller tray, cold storage compartment, vegetable compartment, sealed-in-steel mechanism, cold control, and thermostat, all General Electric features, are retained. Mr. Goodrich says it is the largest group of refrigerators ever assembled in the store. He invites an early inspection. No obligation, of course.

## SECOND ROUND IN HOOP SCHEDULE PLAYED WEDNESDAY NIGHT

In the second round of county basketball league games Wednesday night at the high school gymnasium, Zelwick & Boggs won from Snowline, 50 to 16; the Cougars beat Mosquito, 36 to 5; and the Eagles won from the American Legion, 27 to 13.

## Household Hint

A quick way to cleanse your neck from the soil of a fur coat collar when soap and water aren't handy is to use one of those smart new cleansing pads containing glycerine, and wipe all around your neck. You'll find these lotion-soaked cleansing pads a splendid dirt and dye remover.

## BIRTHDAY BALL AND DIMES MARCH COMMITTEES MEET TONIGHT

Robert Reeder, chairman of the committee for the annual "Birthday Ball for the President" in the interest of raising funds to combat infantile paralysis, has called a committee meeting to be held tonight at Hotel Raffles on the birthday ball and "March of Dimes" plans.

Among those who have been asked to be present are Arthur Mart, of Garden Valley; L. W. Loomis, of El Dorado; J. W. Landis, Jr., of Diamond Springs; William Allison and Paul LaBrie, of Camino; Mrs. Mary Gladys Merryman, of Smith Flat; and School Superintendent K. W. McCoy.

Mr. Reeder also revealed that plans are being made to hold a card party Saturday evening, Feb. 1, at the I. O. O. F. hall, in connection with the dance. Thus, those who may desire to patronize the infantile paralysis benefit and who may not care to attend the birthday ball, will have the opportunity to attend the card party which will be held in the third floor lodge room while dancing is in progress in the main lodge hall.

## "Pro" Football League Is Seeking Czar

CHICAGO, (UP) — Club owners of the National Football League are looking for a commissioner to police their business and may select one today in an unofficial meeting of eight—possibly all 10—owners. Prominently mentioned for the job were John Reed Kilpatrick of New York's Madison Square Garden and Jim Farley, although almost every club in the league had a candidate.

## New Storm Charted Off North State Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, (UP) — Small craft warnings were flown along the California coast north of Port Bragg today as a new storm moved from the ocean.

Northern California was on the southern fringe of the disturbance, which was expected to strike tonight or early tomorrow, bringing more rain to an area drenched by intermittent rains since Dec. 15.

# Neighborhood NEWS

## COLOMA NOTES

Miss Dora Dalke of Plymouth was calling on Coloma people Saturday. The young lady is interested in securing a scholarship which will enable her to secure a four-year course in an accredited hospital school for nurses.

Another dredging company is preparing to begin work in the river below the Frank Wagner home on the north side of the river. We understand this company is known as the Van Dyke and comes from Amador county.

Mrs. Rose Bisagno and Miss N. Y. Vernon visited the Pino Grande country Saturday, coming home by way of the new road connecting Mosquito and Georgetown. These new roads continually being built throughout the county continually bring home the fact to us there is small wonder world-wide travelers go into raptures over the magnificent scenery to be found here.

George Kloefer has returned from several weeks visit with relatives in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Smeland are here from Bakersfield for a short stay.

J. W. Brown, an elderly gentleman from Richmond, is here for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schroth and family were out from Placerville Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Marchini who has been ill with an attack of flu is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Asher left for Modesto Friday.

Many of the old-time prospectors are out with pick and pan these rainy days, among them are Jack Muston and George Barr.

Mrs. Rose Bisagno and her mother from Coloma road were calling on Coloma friends Thursday.

Newton Grout is putting up a good sized building for Mrs. Angie DeLory to be used as a garage and machine shop.

## CAMINO NOTES

The Camino P. T. A. held their January meeting in the school auditorium Friday afternoon with President Mrs. C. A. De Vine, presiding. There were twenty-one members present. The new electric stove has been installed and put to use. During the business meeting it was decided to have a public

whist party Friday night, January 17, instead of the bazaar which is usually held in the fall but had to be postponed this year because of the school being closed with flu. The bazaar fancy work, etc., will be used for the party and it is hoped that when all the donations are in there will be enough to hold several parties. Mrs. George Sims was appointed chairman on the card party.

Mrs. Ann Hooper was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at Camino Ridge Farm Thursday afternoon. Those present were the Mesdames: H. C. Lepley, Art Braden, J. B. Gardella, Allen Potts, P. J. Brauner, Jack Williams, Frank Lamm, George Burrows, Freda Clifton, Howard Cullers, Henry Cullers, Frank Noyes, C. C. Long, Alice

Mrs. Bert Hottinger were appointed. Mrs. Sims and Mrs. F. Ball served cookies and coffee.

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## LEGISLATURE GIRDS FOR BITTER BATTLE ON REAPPORTIONMENT AS FLOOD OF BILLS POURS INTO HOPPER

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—The decennial battle over reapportionment cleft the state legislature today and brought bosom friends to the parting of the ways.

Rivalries that are laughed off in nine years of ten have broken out anew with the "cow counties" now aligned against the metropolitan

areas and every assemblyman fighting bitterly to keep his job.

Reapportionment of the state legislature and of congressional representation is mandatory, but means of achieving it are not fixed. Therefore a flood of bills detailing how it should be done is pouring into the legislative hopper.

Southern California, particularly Los Angeles county, seems assured of gaining additional assemblymen and congressmen, probably at the expense of counties in the San Francisco bay region.

"There'll be a fight for a month or more," conceded one southern California lawmaker.

Mesdames George Hull, D. O. Thomas, Forest Durham, Myrtle Phelps, Frank Lamm, Christine Whitmore and Mr. and Mrs. R. Day were at the county seat on Wednesday.

The Timberinos are planning another dance to be held Saturday evening, January 18 at the new hall with Frank Dames' orchestra.

Walton Ward returned Monday evening from the bay district where he spent the weekend on a business trip.

Miss Viola Harmon of Sacramento spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese.

Bert Lewis and Howard Quinlyn went to Sacramento Tuesday to take the examination for the draft.

Mrs. Mapleton Pierce and daughter Martha May Hanson of Davis was calling on friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Brauner motored to Oakland Tuesday to attend the funeral of L. T. Harbey, superintendent of the bay bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reese and daughter of Sacramento spent Tuesday here with Edgar's folks, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese.

Jack Fleckenstein spent Sunday in Folsom with his folks.

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